

Prince Sails, Promising to Come Again

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melted away into the haze the prince left the bridge and went below.

The sun set, cherry red, in a mass of clouds. Sky and water turned gray. Lights glimmered in Tompkinsville and the destroyers curtseyed to the first roller of the Atlantic. Still the Delaware held her place at the head of the line, and the Renown ploughed along behind her.

The Ambrose lightship loomed up and dropped behind before the Delaware swung wide and then came to a standstill. The Renown, a blacker shadow in the darkness, passed by.

It is a navy rule that no salute is to be fired after sunset, but America broke that rule to bid a final goodbye to the Prince of Wales.

A needle of fame leaped from the Delaware's side as the Renown drove past and the bang of a 3-pounder came over the waves. Twenty-one guns were fired, and as the sound of the last died away the Renown replied.

Then she picked up speed, her destroyer escort followed and the night obscured them as they stood out to sea.

While Stage Is Being Set

The prince arose at 8 o'clock yesterday morning fresh and full of vigor after a good night's rest. He ate a hearty breakfast, and then indulged in a little exercising while the stage was being set upon the quarterdeck for the investiture that was to follow.

The quarterdeck was screened by sailcloth from the cold draft wind that swept across the river, while along the awnings were entwined British and American flags.

At 9:30 the prince, attired in the uniform of a navy captain, walked to the quarterdeck. There in front of him, arrayed in single line was a small army of American and British officers, men and nurses. Upon their shoulders were heribonned lines representing the coveted decorations won by their valor and devotion to duty under fire. They were there now to receive further recognition of their bravery.

As the prince took up his position a giant grenadier marched over, halted, saluted and then stood rigidly at attention upon his right. A six-foot "coldstream" guardsman performed the same evolution on the left, and alongside these two stalwart soldiers stood two brawny sailors with snappy straw hats upon their heads. The prince's hand was lined up. It had been playing popular and classical airs until the arrival of the prince, and the moment he appeared it played "God Save the King" while the prince stood with his hand at salute.

General Goethals Comes First

The first to be decorated was Major General George W. Goethals. Upon him the prince fastened the insignia of a Knight of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, one of the most coveted decorations within the gift of the British crown. Were he a British subject General Goethals would bear the title of "Sir George" with his latest decoration.

The prince alternated in shaking hands, using first his left and then his right. As he reached forward the prince caught the hand held out to him with the tips of his fingers in such a manner that it would be impossible for a firm grip to be taken. It was the heavy strong handshake of sturdy American and Canadians that put the royal right hors de combat.

Sir Henry Japp and Sir Thomas Ashley Sparks followed General Goethals. They were made knights of the Order of the British Empire. Major General H. P. McCain, Brigadier General R. E. Wood, and six colonels, including Colonel Arthur Woods, former Police Commissioner, were made Companions of the Order of St. Michael and St. George. Then followed the bestowing of distinguished service orders, military crosses, distinguished flying

Prince Sends Liquors

To British Embassy

One of the last acts of the Prince of Wales before the Renown sailed for Halifax yesterday was to send ashore in his royal barge twenty-four cases containing a variety of liquors. This valuable freight was consigned to the British Embassy in Washington.

Five carrier pigeons were sent to the Renown by Patrolman Phillip Leffert. They will be released from the battle cruiser 500 miles from this city, and will carry back with them messages from the British heir.

tary crosses, distinguished flying royal and crosses, distinguished conduct medals, meritorious service medals and military medals.

Non-Coms and Privates

Quite a number of the last two medals were given to non-coms and privates of New York's famous 27th Division. Each saluted the prince, removed his cap, then stood at attention while the prince pinned on the medal.

Sergeant H. F. Lynk, of Brooklyn, who fought with the 10th Infantry, received the Distinguished Conduct Medal. He is little more than twenty years old, and bears the scars of several wounds. He told newspaper men that he was out of a job and had been seeking work ever since his return, but all his efforts had so far proved futile.

Sergeant Thomas Kenn, of 166 East Seventy-fourth Street, fought with the 10th Infantry. The prince pinned upon his breast the Distinguished Conduct Medal alongside the American D. S. C. and the French Croix de Guerre. He received his British medal for conspicuous bravery at St. Souplet, where single-handed he captured thirty-four Germans and killed one machine gunner.

Another soldier who bore the same decoration was Corporal Abel J. Levine, of Mt. Vernon. He fought with the 10th Infantry.

Just for "Nothing"

The palm of modesty went to T. G. Dean Jr., of 25 Eleanor Place, Yonkers, who fought with the same regiment. He already had two medal ribbons on his uniform when the prince pinned on the Distinguished Conduct Medal. Asked what he had done in the war to win the decoration, he shrugged his shoulders and said "Nothing."

Mrs. Mary Lynch, of 47 West Post Road, White Plains, received the posthumous decoration awarded her son, Corporal H. P. Lynch, for distinguished conduct and outstanding bravery in rescuing nine of his comrades of the 10th Infantry from a shell hole. Corporal Lynch was wounded several times while performing this heroic action. He was invalided home several months ago, and later died from his wounds.

Major General John F. O'Ryan, General Biddle, Admiral Niblack and Captain Jack Cotter were invested with the Companionship in the Royal Victorian Order for service rendered as expert to the royal visitor during his stay in New York.

The investiture was completed at 10 o'clock, and immediately afterward the prince held a reception for a large number of distinguished citizens who had acted as his hosts at different occasions during his stay in the city. He shook hands with each, and personally thanked them for helping make his visit pleasant.

Shall Ever Remember It

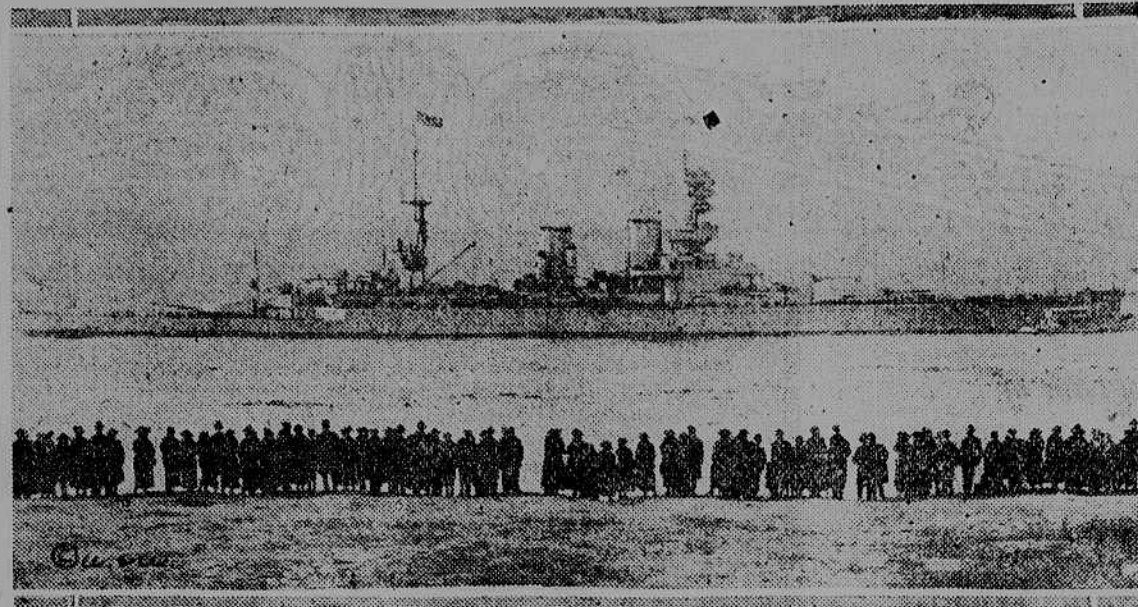
Then he strode over to the group of newspaper men, shook hands and said: "I appreciate all the nice things you gentlemen have said about me. My trip to you city has been most delightful. I shall ever remember it." A souvenir book entitled "The Defenders of Democracy," which is dedicated to American soldiers, sailors and nurses, and which contains historical messages, poems and stories of the war, was presented to the prince in the afternoon by a committee.

Among those who took part in the prince's reception were members of the government staff attached to his suite, Mayor Hylan's Women's Committee of Welcome, Mayor's Committee on Reception to Distinguished Guests, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Wamsley, Commissioner and Mrs. Grover A. Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver H. Hariman, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Johnson and Mayor and Mrs. Hylan.

Belgian military mission was represented by Colonel and Mrs. Leon Osterrieth, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cassenave, of the French High Commission; Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Hugo, representing the sister, Lieutenant General Robert Lee Bullard and Mrs. Bullard, Major General and Mrs. Davis C. Shanks and Admiral and Mrs. James H. Glenon.

Reginald Vanderbilt, Alfred E. Yarrington, R. A. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning and Miss Manning,

Awaiting Last Glimpse of British Heir



Crowds bidding Prince of Wales adieu as the British battle cruiser Renown slipped anchor at Eighty-sixth Street and the Hudson River, below: Edward Albert awarding the military medal to Corporal K. M. McCann, of the 27th Division, A. E. F., on the deck of the Renown.

General Coleman du Pont, William A. McCusker, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vogel, Thomas W. Lamont, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Davison, Mr. and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cravath and Clarence Mackay.

Viscount Grey, Sir William Tyrrell, the Hon. Ronald Lindsay, Ronald Campbell, Jefferson Cassery, Major General John Biddle, Rear Admiral A. P. Niblack, L. Lanier Winslow, Myron A. Hofer, Major Edward S. Sharp, U. S. A., Captain John Parker, U. S. A., Lieutenant Commander A. D. Le Gare, U. S. W. R. S., Joseph M. Nye, Major General John F. O'Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop, George Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gerard and Colonel George B. Burleigh, U. S. A.

Ashore for Last Visit

Exactly at noon the prince came ashore for the last time. Along the stretch of shore from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth streets several hundred Boy Scouts were formed in a hollow

square, at the head of which was the United States Navy Recruit Band.

As he stepped ashore the prince was greeted with a tremendous outburst of cheering from the thousands crowded in every available inch of space along the west beach. His well-known smile illumined his face as he saluted with contiguous rapid motion.

Accompanied by his staff, and the national officers of the Boy Scouts of America, he made a tour of inspection through the ranks of the boys. Then amid the terrific roar of cheering he read the engraved message which he presented to the scout leaders and asked him to circulate.

As he bade the boys, with one accord, let out three hearty cheers, while they threw their hats high in the air in an outburst of enthusiasm. The inspection completed, the prince and his suite returned to the Renown, where the royal visitor entertained Admiral Sims at luncheon.

The full list of investitures follows: K. C. M. G.—Major General G. W. Goethals.

K. B. E.—Sir Henry Japp, Sir Thomas Ashley Sparks.

C. B.—Brigadier General C. B. Wheeler, Colonel C. Cordier.

C. M. G.—Major General H. P. McCain, Brigadier General R. E. Wood, Colonel Furbush, Colonel J. E. Goldthwaite, Colonel S. Jones, Colonel J. B. Mitchell, Colonel F. A. Washburn, Colonel R. W. Wood.

C. B. E.—Colonels William Boyd, F. F. D. Longley and Captain E. S. Bogert, ribbon.

D. S. O.—Commander George E. Neal, Major H. N. Hemsley, Major William Henderson, Major Clarence Middleton, Major R. B. Owens, Major R. H. Warburton, Major H. R. Winthrop and Sergeant-ex-Captain Michael J. Donoghue.

O. B. B.—Lieutenant L. H. Louhy, ribbon; Commander H. O. Shifford, ribbon; Major Philip A. Curry, ribbon.

M. C.—Major G. Bingham, Captain B. M. Cutting, Captain F. E. Howard, Captain J. B. MacLean, ribbon; Captain K. E. Millan, Captain E. Prince, Captain V. J. Sharkey, Captain E. H. K. Wells, First Lieutenant Rev. C. Clark Kennedy, Lieutenant E. J. Marston.

D. P. C.—Captain Paul T. Iaccaci, Captain Harry C. Senior, Lieutenant Hilbert Leigh Bair, Lieutenant Clayton L. Blissell, Lieutenant R. E. Howard, Lieutenant A. Thayer Iaccaci, Captain Field E. Kindley, Lieutenant Harold A. Kullburg, Lieutenant George Augustus Vaughan and Captain John Owen Donaldson.

A. F. C.—Lieutenant R. R. Richardson.

M. B. E.—Captain W. Tait Barlow, Officers' decoration, E. R. Lieutenant Commander A. Russell Barber.

Red Cross Nurses Decorated

Royal Red Cross—Nurse E. Gold; second class, Miss Findley, ribbon; Nurse Minnie A. Lester, Nurse M. C. Brown, Nurse B. M. MacDonald, Nurse E. J. Parmelee, Nurse J. L. Rignol (now Mrs. P. B. St. John), Nurse D. S. Young (formerly Miss D. Burcham).

D. C. M.—Sergeant Chester M. Cellar, Sergeant H. C. Hall, Sergeant T. Kennedy, Sergeant Andrew J. Padgett, Sergeant E. W. Spencer, Corporal A. J. Levine, Corporal F. W. Osmond, Private R. F. Wisner, Private Harry Fisher.

M. S. M.—Master W. C. Korschich, engineer.

M. M.—First Sergeant John C. Byrum, First Sergeant Guy Hinson, Sergeant McLaurin Baker, Sergeant Samuel V. Boykins, Sergeant Frank E. Deo, Sergeant E. A. Duncan, Sergeant P. Carey, Sergeant H. L. Glendinning, Sergeant H. Greene, Sergeant C. A. Heim, Sergeant J. W. Holland, Sergeant L. H. Ingram, Sergeant H. S. Kirk, Sergeant H. E. Lynk, Sergeant L. R. Matson, Sergeant Angus Robert, Sergeant J. Robins, Sergeant G.

I am determined to see more of the great city as soon as I can. One can never have enough of such hospitality as yours, and I hope all the people of the city will realize how grateful and appreciative I am."

'Hunt With Pack,' Prince to Scouts

And Above All Things Be Good Americans, Is His Farewell Message

To the growing youth of America the Prince of Wales yesterday issued this message, and gave it to the Boy Scouts of America to circulate among their comrades and friends:

"Boy Scouts and Girl Guides of the United States of America, I have been asked to send you a message, and I am very glad to do so, for I have just had the honor of inspecting a fine parade of scouts here in New York. I see that American scouts are a credit to their scout training."

"I wish that my visit to your splendid country had been longer, and that I had had the chance of seeing more American Scouts and Guides, but that must wait until my next visit."

"Meanwhile, I wish to say one thing to you: Value your training as scouts and guides, for the more you value it, the greater will be your own value to your country and your friends. Never hunt with yourselves, but hunt with the pack. Put your country always first, and above all things, be good Americans. The better Americans you are the better friends you will be to your brother scouts and sister guides of the British Empire. EDWARD P."

Autographs Actors' Fund Ticket

Just before the ship steamed down the river the prince autographed a ticket for the Actors' national memorial day performance in the Empire Theater December 5.

When Captain John Potter, of the American military staff assigned to the prince, explained to the prince that the drive is to provide for needy and disabled veterans of the stage the prince asked for a fountain pen and said:

"I am happy to do what I can for the actors, whose wonderful work in the war did so much to sustain morale."

This ticket will be sold to the highest bidder, the proceeds to be devoted to the Actors' Fund.

Prince's Farewell Message to City

Unable to Answer All the Nice Letters Received; Thanks for Hospitality

The following signed statement was issued to newspaper men by the Prince of Wales just before he sailed for home yesterday:

"I wish to leave a message for the city of New York before I sail to-day, and I hope that you gentlemen of the New York press will publish it for me. The people of New York have welcomed me with such kindness that I cannot leave without saying a few words of farewell."

"I refuse entirely to say good-bye, whether you like it or not, I am going to pay the United States another visit as soon as I can, because I like it so much, and I wish to see much more of the country and its people, including the Great West."

"There is one thing which I should particularly like you to say for me in the press. I have had hundreds of charming letters since I came to the United States, and not a single disagreeable one. I wish that all these letters could have been answered. They have been too many to make this possible, but I hope their writers will let me thank them in this way for the many nice things which they have said."

"New York has been so kind to me that I can never forget this first visit. As I have said before, I am proud to be a New Yorker in my own right, and

To Address Legion Post

Ogden Mills, one of the founders of the American Legion, will speak tomorrow evening at the smoker of the 30th Infantry Post at the D. K. E. Club, 30 West Forty-fourth Street. D. K. Jay, a former major, who was wounded on the Vesle, has been elected chairman of the post and will preside.

Early U. S. Flags To Be Shown

Banners of Revolutionary times will be displayed Tuesday at the Hotel Plaza, where the Sons of the Revolution will celebrate the 146th anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British. Supper will be served after a lecture by Professor Wilbur C. Abbott, of Yale.

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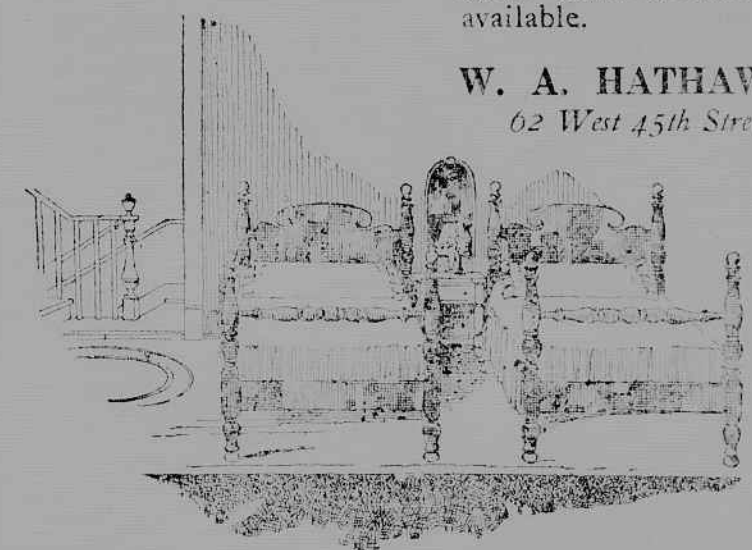
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